

REMARKS

Claims 1-3 are pending in this application. Claims 4-17 have been cancelled as drawn to non-elected inventions.

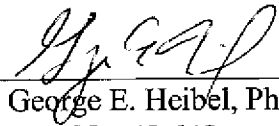
The Examiner is requested to examine the elected claims immediately.

Applicants reserve the right to file divisional applications on all non-elected subject matter of instant application.

Authorization is hereby given to charge any fees deemed to be due in connection with this Response to Deposit Account No. 50-0912.

Respectfully submitted,

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